Docket No. 246061US0CONT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Pierre-Charles ROMOND, et al.

Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. 15-0030.

SERIAL NO: 10/722,555 GAU: 1637

FILED: November 28, 2003 EXAMINER: WILDER

FOR: METHOD FOR DETECTING MICRO-ORGANISMS

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

It is	s hereby requested that a one month extension of time be granted to March 28, 2007 for
	filing a response to the Official Action dated: November 28, 2006
	responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:
	filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.
	responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated:
	filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.
	filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:
	Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown below is reduced by one-half.
The	a required fee of \$120.00 is being made by credit card payment and any further charges may be made against the

Respectfully Submitted,

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